What types of students join the Mayor's Youth Council?

- Students who are looking for new and challenging experiences
- Students who want to become active citizens in the community
- Students who want to be leaders in the community
- Students who are dedicated to improving the lives of youth in Wichita
- Students who can work together in teams
- Students who like to work hard and have a good time!

Visit the Mayor's Youth

Council online at:

http://www.wichita.gov/Government/CityCouncil/Mayor/YouthCouncil.htm

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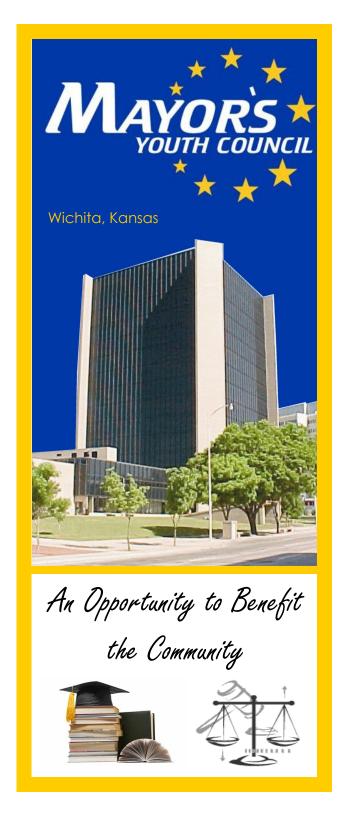


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Wichita Mayor's Youth Council

Mission:

To provide Wichita youth with the opportunity to weigh in on community issues and learn about city government.



Wichita Mayor

Carl Brewer



The Mayor's Youth Council is a diverse group of Wichita high school students. Students on the council elect the Mayor, Vice Mayor, 5 Council Chairs, City Manager, and Clerk of Council. The remaining members represent the General Council.

Youth Council Committees

Youth Affairs & Education:

Committee responsibilities include serving as a voice for Wichita's youth by addressing a broad range of issues and authoring resolutions.

Community Engagement & Public Relations:

Committee responsibilities are planning and executing community service programs, as well as setting up Community Forums and Summits.

Government & Legislative Affairs:

Committee is responsible for representing the interest of Wichita's youth to elected officials and the community. Specific duties include lobbying and campaigning in support of issues locally, and at the state capital. Also responsible for planning social events such as the end of the year banquet.

Public Service:

Committee is responsible for coordinating and setting up volunteer/public service events, including a YLAW event in the Fall and in the Spring.

Prevention Education:

Committee is responsible for planning and facilitating a series of prevention focused workshops in conjunction with Mirror Inc.

Our vision is that the youth of Wichita are secure, educated, and connected to the community.



Friends of The Council

Mayor's Youth Council Advisory Committee: Adult volunteers who provide advice and direction to the council on important community issues.

Mayor's Youth Council Business Council: Businesses that serve as sponsors and pursue public-private collaborations to benefit the council.

Mayor's Youth Council Partners: Entities that are willing to donate time, services and other resources.

For more information about becoming a Friend of the Council, please email:

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